

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Patent and Trademark Office

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF COMMERCE AND COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS Washington, DC 20231

4

October 20, 1999

Meivile Chen Morgan & Finnegan 345 Park Ave. New York, NY 10154

In re application of:

Gautier et al.

DECISION GRANTING PETITION

Application No. 09/149,424

For: A SUPPORT PLINTH FOR A POWER DIODE IN A MOTOR VEHICLE ALTERNATOR

This is a decision on the petition filed August 11, 1999, requesting that the above-identified application be withdrawn from the holding of abandonment and restored to pending status.

The petition is granted.

The evidence submitted is sufficient to establish that the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application was filed timely in the wrong serial.

In view of the above, the holding of abandonment is hereby withdrawn and the application is restored to pending status.

The Initial Patent Examination Division is processing the file and the filing receipt will be issued promptly.

Doshie E. Day

Program Management Assistant / Office of initial Patent Examination

(703) 308-3640